

**$B \rightarrow D\bar{D}h$  decays: a new (virtual)  
laboratory for exotic particle searches**

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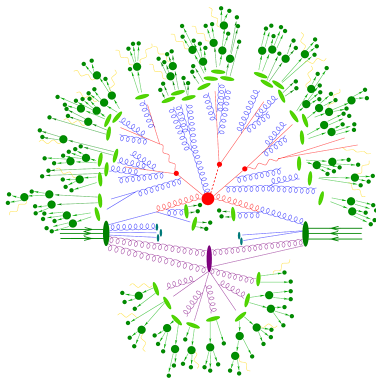




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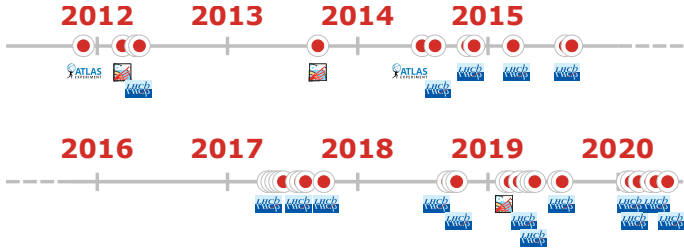
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# The mystery of hadronisation



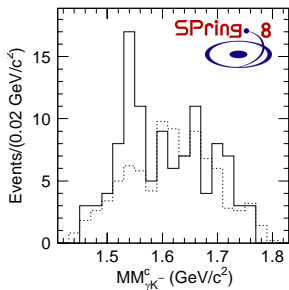
- QCD: successful and predictive. Perturbative at hard scales
- Hadronisation models in lieu of analytical solutions
- **Least-well understood aspect of the SM.** How to improve?

# The allure of spectroscopy



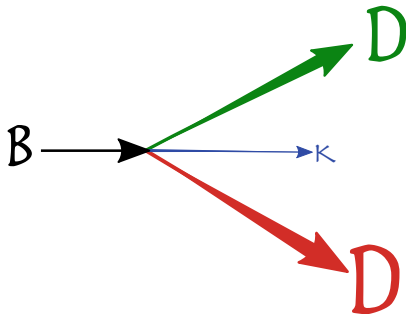
- The LHC brought a wealth of new particles: **37 new hadrons**
- Great deal of attention: 1,398 citations
- Crucial inputs for hadronisation model-builders

## Beware the pentaquark...

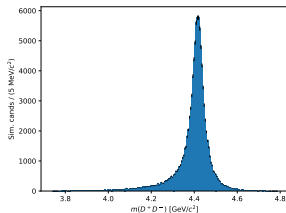


- $uudd\bar{s}$  state predicted in 1997 [arXiv:hep-ph/9703373](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ph/9703373)
- Excess seen in 2003 [arXiv:hep-ex/0301020](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ex/0301020)
- Bumps 'confirmed' by 9 other experiments
- Un-discovered by CLAS, Belle, ...

## The power of exclusive reconstruction



- Fully reconstructed decay
- Much more than a bump-hunt
- Toy  $B^+ \rightarrow [\psi(4415) \rightarrow D^+ D^-] K^+$

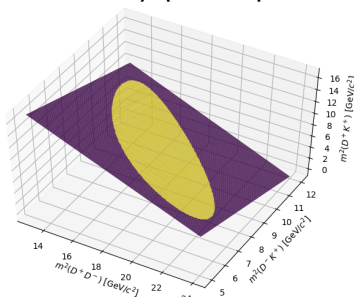


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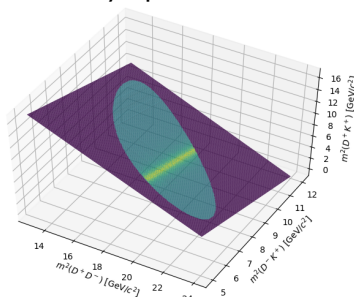
- Conservation of four-momentum in the decay:

$$m_B^2 + 2m_D^2 + m_K^2 = m_{D^+D^-}^2 + m_{D^-K^+}^2 + m_{D^+K^+}^2$$

Toy: phase-space



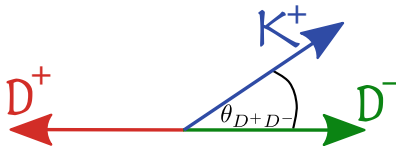
Toy: spin-0



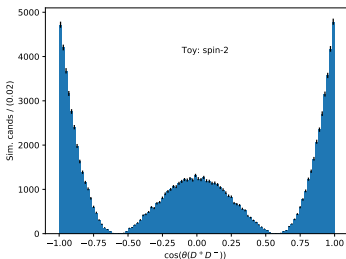
- Two degrees of freedom, within kinematic limits
- Intermediate resonances produce non-uniform structure

## The power of exclusive reconstruction

- Strong  $P \rightarrow 3P$  decay: resonances have  $J^P = 0^+, 1^-, 2^+, \dots$
- Resonance spin dictates angular structure



- Resonance (e.g.  $2^+$ ) decaying to  $D^+ D^-$ : intuitive  $\theta_{D^+D^-}$  shape

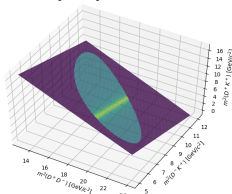




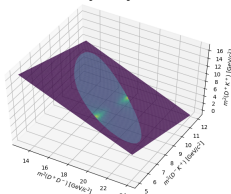
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- Spin-dependent helicity-angle maps onto phase-space plane

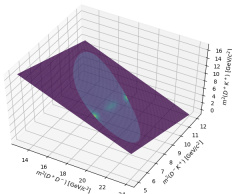
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Toy: spin-1



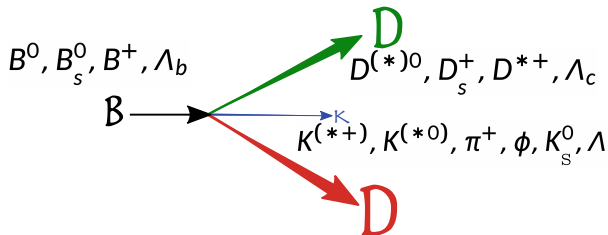
Toy: spin-2



- We'll always project onto one pair of these axes: 'Dalitz plot'

## Why $B \rightarrow D\bar{D}h$ decays?

- Huge family of topologically similar decays

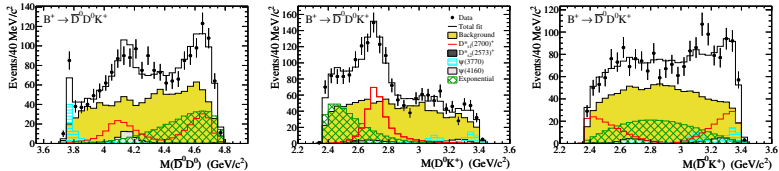


- Wide range of spectroscopy studies
  - Charmonia (e.g.  $D^+D^-$ )
  - $D_{sJ}$  spectroscopy (e.g.  $D^0K^+$ )
  - Manifestly exotic channels (e.g.  $D^0D^-$  [ $c\bar{c}$ ?];  $D^+K^-$  [ $c\bar{d}u\bar{s}$ ])
- Resonances little-studied
- LHCb data of unprecedented size/purity

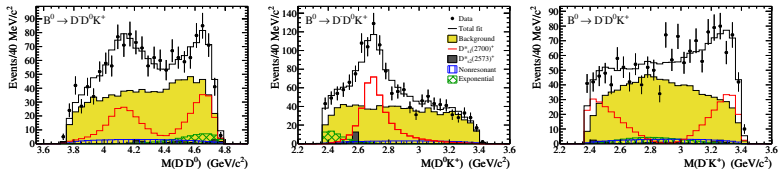
# A new laboratory for spectroscopy

- $B \rightarrow D^{(*)}D^{(*)}X$  branching fractions well-studied [2005.10264,2007.04280](#)
- Amplitude analysis exists for only two decays [0707.3491, 1412.6751](#)
  - 400-2000 candidates, but purity 40% at best

BaBar:  $B^\pm \rightarrow D^0 \bar{D}^0 K^\pm$  [1412.6751](#)

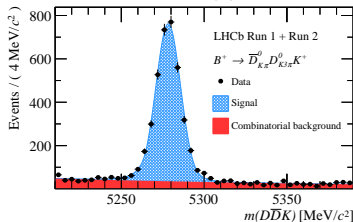
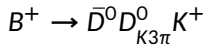
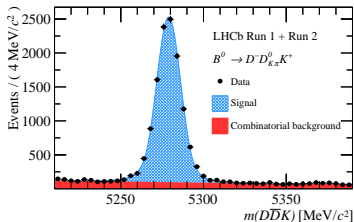


BaBar:  $B^0 \rightarrow D^- D^0 K^+$  [1412.6751](#)



# An unprecedented dataset

- LHCb has:
  - **high-statistics:** order of magnitude improvement
  - **high-purity:** order of magnitude reduction in background
- (see recent LHCb branching fraction measurement: [2005.10264](#))



## A simple study?

- $B^\pm \rightarrow D^+ D^- K^\pm$  interesting for charmonia; conventional resonances only expected in the  $D^+ D^-$  channel
- (even illuminating  $c\bar{c}$  in  $B^\pm \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- K^\pm$  decays [1006.4945,1406.0566](#)?)
- Amplitude analysis should be an 'easy' study of charmonia...

### Surprising phase-space structure!

- LHCb-PAPER-2020-024: model-independent study of resonant structure in  $B^+ \rightarrow D^+ D^- K^+$  decays
- LHCb-PAPER-2020-025: amplitude analysis of the  $B^+ \rightarrow D^+ D^- K^+$  decay



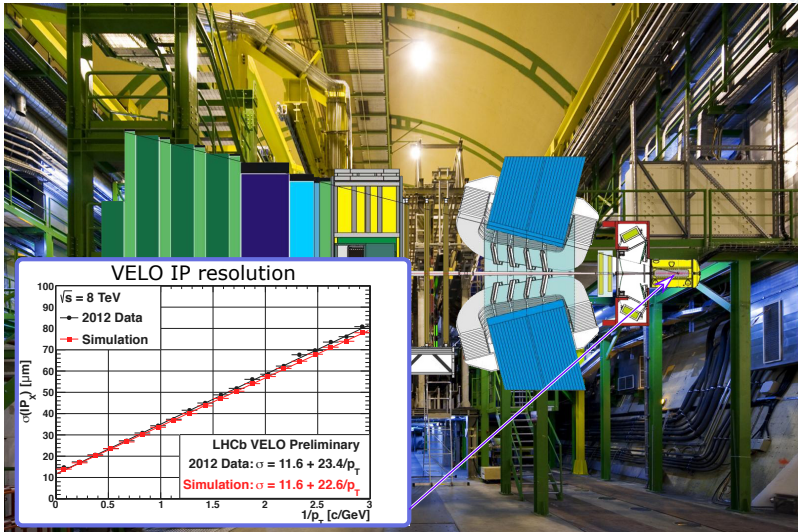
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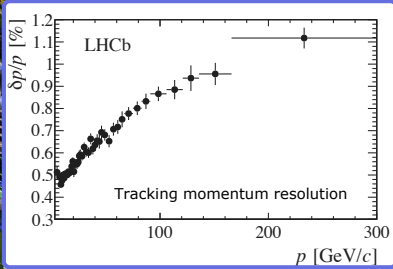
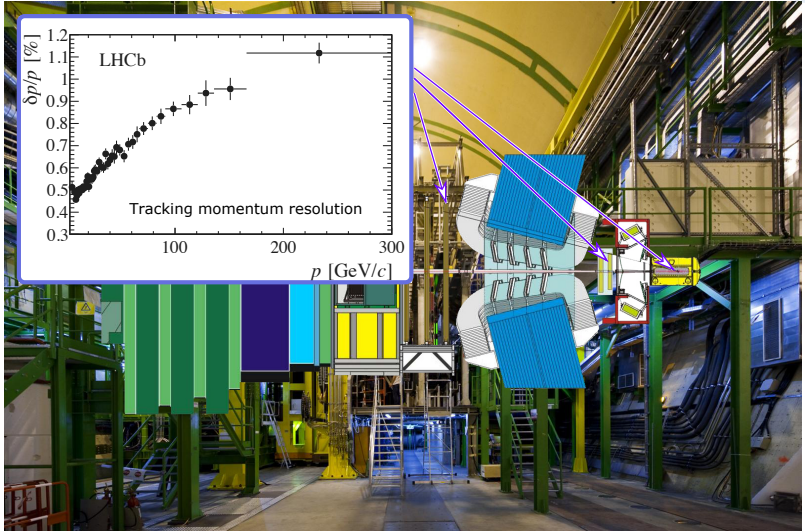


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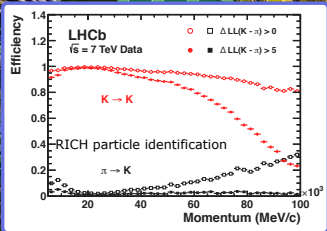
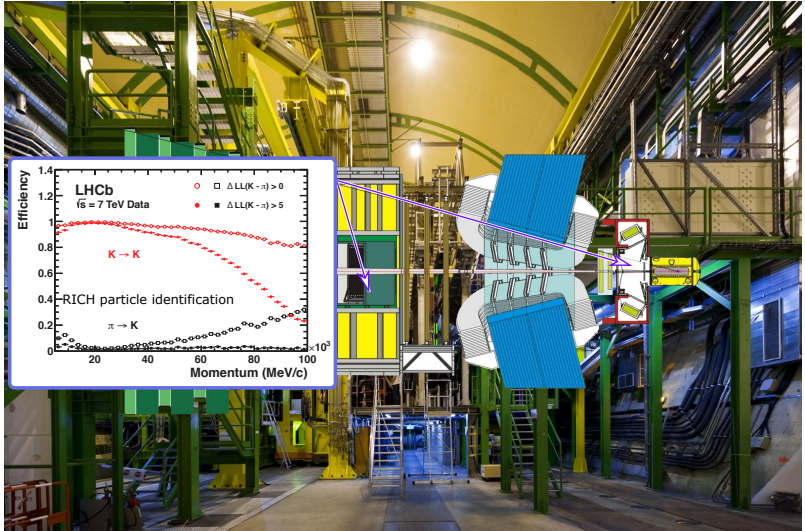




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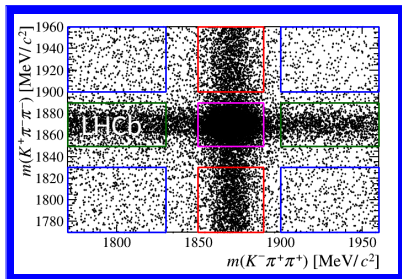


## Sample preparation

- Full Run 1 + Run 2  $pp$  datasets ( $9 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )
- Reconstruct  $B^+ \rightarrow [K^- \pi^+ \pi^+]_{D^+} [K^+ \pi^- \pi^-]_{D^-} K^+$
- Trigger for candidates:
  - $\frac{2}{3}$  satisfy hadron trigger requirements directly
  - $\frac{1}{3}$  from events where something else fires the  $h, \mu, e, \gamma$  trigger
- UniformBDT [1305.7248](#) with topological and PID variables
- Optimise significance  $\times$  purity

## Specific backgrounds

- Suppress peaking backgrounds producing the same final state:
  - Veto sharp inv. mass peaks for disconnected pairs of f.s. particles
  - Inspect  $B^\pm$  peak in  $D^+$  and  $D^-$  sidebands, and cut on  $D^\pm$  FD

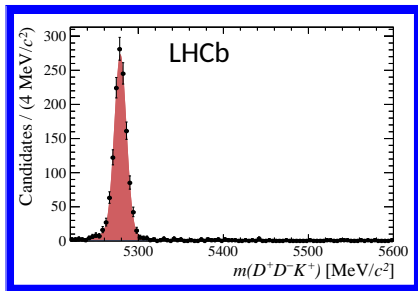


Charmless  
Single charm

- Negligible residual peaking background
- No dangerous partially-reconstructed backgrounds

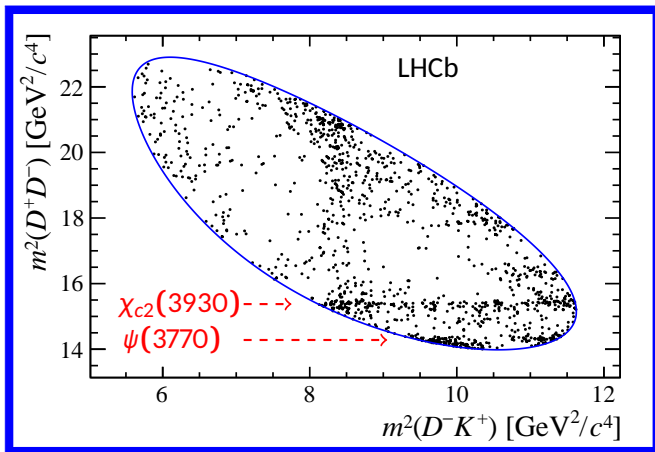
## Determining signal yield

- Simultaneous, extended, max- $\mathcal{L}$  fit; Sig. shape guided by MC
- Combine all years:

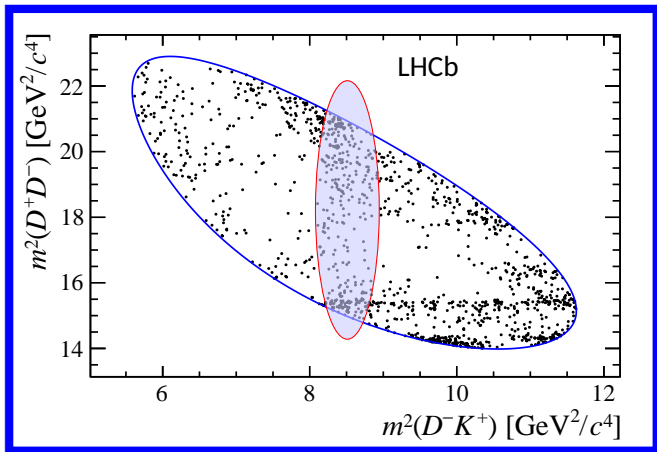


- 1,374 candidates enter the fit; 1,260 within  $20 \text{ MeV}/c^2$  of  $m(B^\pm)$
- Purity  $> 99.5\%$

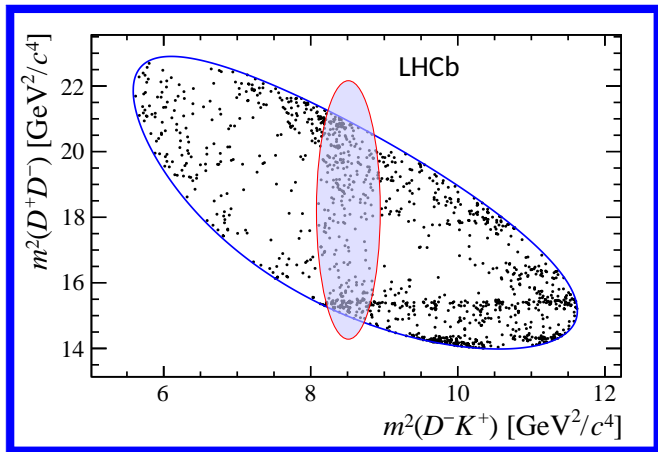
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What is that???





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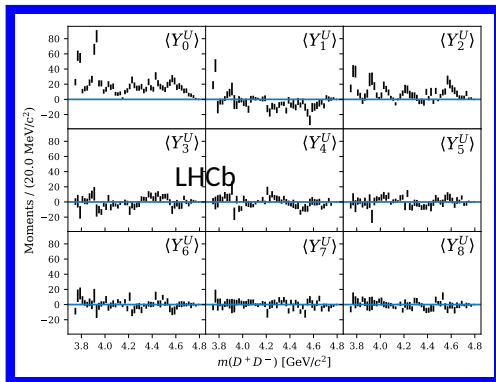
## Model-independent analysis approach

- Can  $D^+D^-K^+$  phsp be described by  $D^+D^-$  partial-waves only?
- Resonances only expected in a single channel: 'simple'
- Method used in  $B^0 \rightarrow \psi(2S)K^+\pi^-$  [1510.01951](#),  $B^0 \rightarrow J\psi K^+\pi^-$  [1901.05745](#),  
 $\Lambda_b \rightarrow J\psi pK^-$  [1604.05708](#), [CERN-THESIS-2016-086](#).

## Procedure

1. Capture  $D^+D^-$  angular structure using orthonormal basis of Legendre polynomials in  $h(D^+D^-) = \cos(\theta(D^+D^-))$ :

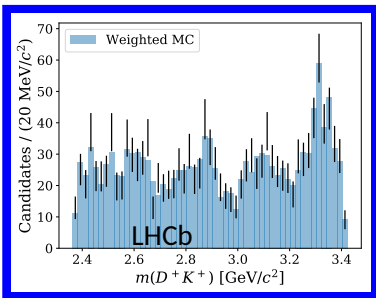
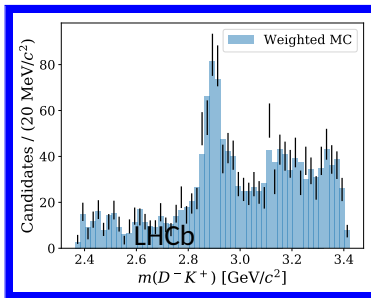
$$\langle Y_k^{U,j} \rangle = \sum_{l=1}^{N_j^{\text{Data}}} w_l P_k(h_l(D^+D^-)) \quad (1)$$



## Procedure

- Apply weights to MC to visualise resulting  $m(D^+K^-)$  shape:

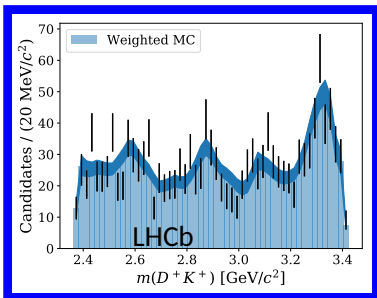
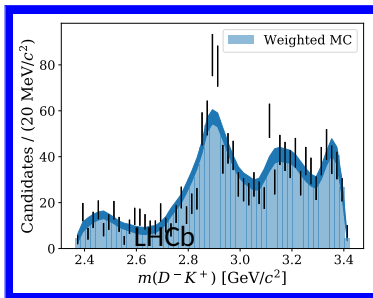
$$\eta_i = \frac{2}{N_j^{\text{Sim}}} \times \sum_{k=0}^{k_{\text{max}}} \langle Y_k^{U,j} \rangle P_k(h(D^+D^-)) \quad (2)$$



- Obviously high  $k_{\text{max}}$  allows to describe nearly everything

## Procedure

- Truncate the expansion: up to spin-2  $\rightarrow$  up to  $k_{\max} = 4$ :

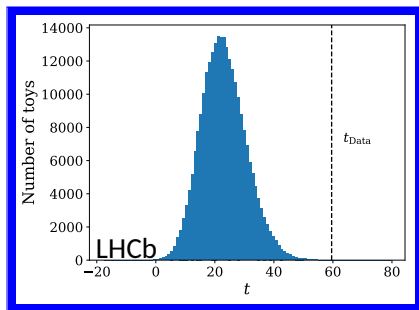


- Bootstrap to propagate uncertainty on moments  $\langle Y_k^{U,j} \rangle$
- Clear problem describing the  $D^+ K^-$  spectrum

## Procedure

4. Construct PDF in  $m(D^+K^-)$  to build a test-statistic:

$$t = -2 \sum_{l=1}^{N_{\text{Data}}} s_l \log \left( \frac{\mathcal{P}(m_l(D^-K^+) | H_0) / I_{H_0}}{\mathcal{P}(m_l(D^-K^+) | H_1) / I_{H_1}} \right) \quad (3)$$



- Ensemble of toys using  $k_{\text{max}} = 4$ ; bootstrap efficiency models
- Evaluate  $t$ .  $t_{\text{Data}}$  discrepant at level of  $3.9\sigma$



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## Formalism

Used the Laura++ Dalitz plot fitter<sup>1711.09854</sup> to maximise

$$\mathcal{L} = \exp \left[ - \sum_c \left( \frac{(p_c - \mu_c)^2}{2\sigma_c^2} \right) \right] \prod_{j=1}^{N_c} (N_{\text{sig}} \mathcal{P}_{\text{sig}}(\vec{x}_j) + N_{\text{bg}} \mathcal{P}_{\text{bg}}(\vec{x}_j))$$

with signal PDF,

$$\mathcal{P}_{\text{sig}}(\vec{x}) = \frac{1}{\mathcal{N}} \times \epsilon_{\text{total}}(\vec{x}) \times |\mathcal{A}_{\text{sig}}(\vec{x})|^2$$

and isobar construction for signal amplitude:

$$\mathcal{A}_{\text{sig}}(\vec{x}) = \sum_{j=1}^N c_j F_j(\vec{x})$$



## Formalism

For a resonance in the  $D^+ D^-$  channel, the amplitude is

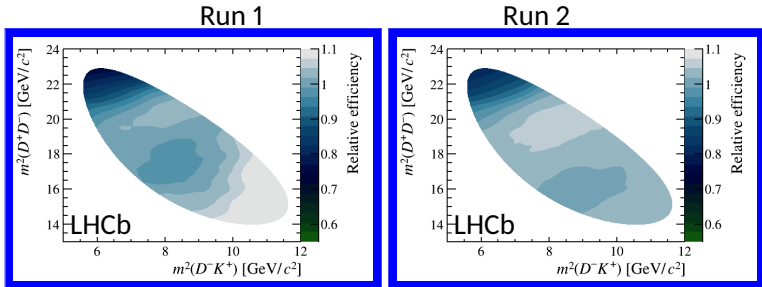
$$F(\vec{x}) = R (m(D^+ D^-)) \times T(\vec{p}, \vec{q}) \times X(|\vec{p}|) \times X(|\vec{q}|), \quad (4)$$

- $R$ : relativistic Breit-Wigner for all resonances
- $T$ : angular factor - non-relativistic Zemach tensor formalism
- $X$ : Blatt-Weisskopf barrier factors

## Efficiency variations

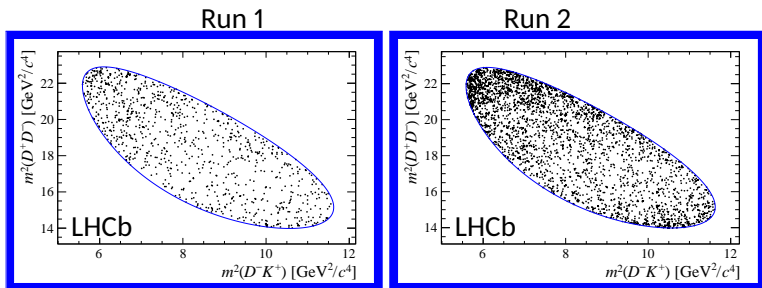
$$\epsilon_{\text{total}}(\vec{x}) = \epsilon_{\text{offline|reco}}(\vec{x}) \times \epsilon_{\text{reco|trig}}(\vec{x}) \times \epsilon_{\text{trig|geom}}(\vec{x}) \times \epsilon_{\text{geom}}(\vec{x}).$$

- Main variations at trigger, reconstruction, and stripping stages
- Uniform BDT achieves flat acceptance, as expected



## Tiny background component

- Use  $5.35 \text{ GeV}/c^2 < m(D^+ D^- K^+) < 5.69 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ , relaxing BDT
- Dalitz plots in the sidebands:



## Signal model ingredients (1/2)

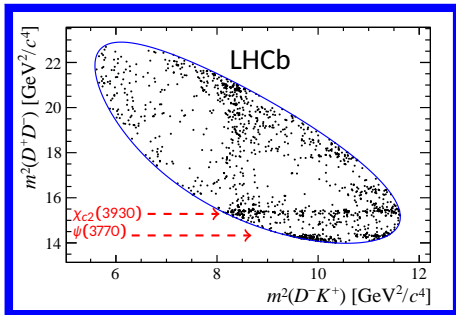
Expect natural  $J^P$  ( $\rightarrow$ pseudoscalars) and suppressed high-spin

Partial wave ( $J^{PC}$ )	Resonance	Mass ( MeV/ $c^2$ )	Width ( MeV/ $c^2$ )
S wave ( $0^{++}$ )	$\chi_{c0}(3860)$	$3862 \pm 39$	$201 \pm 139$
	$X(3915)$	$3918.4 \pm 1.9$	$20 \pm 5$
	Possible nonresonant contributions		
P wave ( $1^{--}$ )	$\psi(3770)$	$3778.1 \pm 0.9$	$27.2 \pm 1.0$
	$\psi(4040)$	$4039 \pm 1$	$80 \pm 10$
	$\psi(4160)$	$4191 \pm 5$	$70 \pm 10$
	$\psi(4260)$	$4230 \pm 8$	$55 \pm 19$
	$\psi(4415)$	$4421 \pm 4$	$62 \pm 20$
D wave ( $2^{++}$ )	$\chi_{c2}(3930)$	$3921.9 \pm 0.6$	$36.6 \pm 2.1$
F wave ( $3^{--}$ )	$X(3842)$	$3842.71 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.12$	$2.79 \pm 0.51 \pm 0.35$

- Most values taken from PDG
- $m(\psi(3770))$  and  $\{m, \sigma\}(\chi_{c2}(3930), X(3842))$  from [1903.12240](#)

## Fit procedure

- Refit decay, constraining  $B^\pm$  &  $D^\pm$  masses:  $\sigma(D^+D^-)$  improves from  $\theta$  ( $10 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ ) to  $\theta$  ( $2 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ ): neglect resolution
- Fit Run 1 and Run 2 data simultaneously, with separate efficiency, bg models and purity
- Minimisation repeated 100 times, randomising coefficients
- $\chi^2/ndof_{\text{effective}}$  computed with adaptive binning scheme



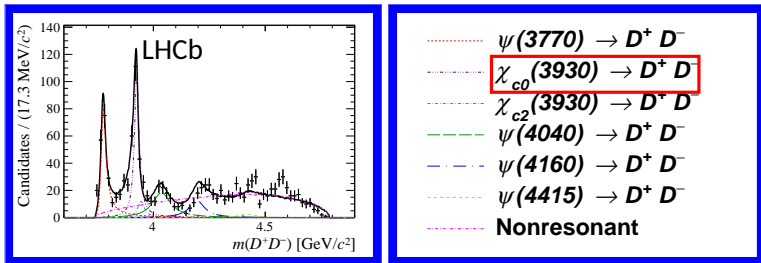


## Fit procedure

- Always include  $\psi(3770)$  and  $\chi_{c2}(3930)$ : clearly visible
- Further components included if significantly reduce NLL
- Complex coefficients vary for all except  $\psi(3770)$
- Vary  $m$  &  $\sigma$ ; constrain  $\psi(3770)/\psi(4040)/\psi(4160)/\psi(4415)$
- Better fit adding ' $\chi_{c0}(3930)$ '; no constraint on  $\chi_{cJ}(3930)$   $m, \sigma$
- Tried various nonresonant lineshapes (uniform, exponential, polynomial, cubic spline) with spin-0,1

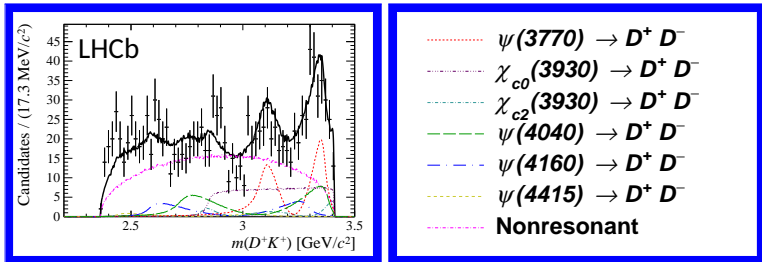
## Model excluding $D^- K^+$ resonances

- $\psi(3770)$ ,  $\chi_{c0}(3930)$ ,  $\chi_{c2}(3930)$ ,  $\psi(4040)$ ,  $\psi(4160)$ , and  $\psi(4415)$  resonances
- Nonresonant best described by an exponential S-wave lineshape in the  $D^- K^+$  spectrum



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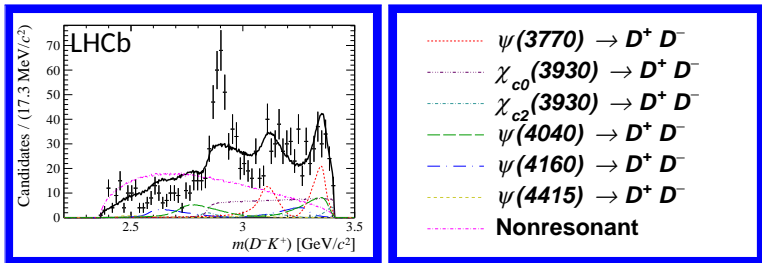
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- Reflections model the  $D^+ K^+$  spectrum satisfactorily:





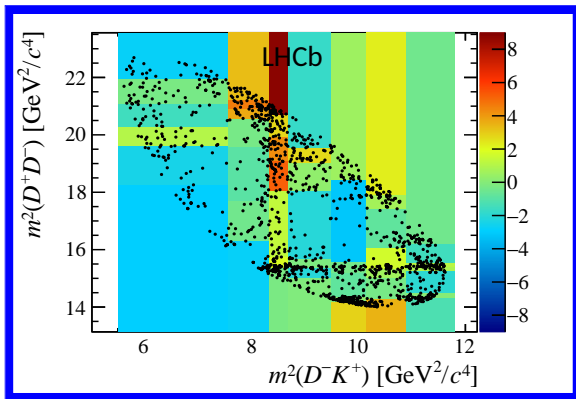
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- But the description of the  $D^- K^+$  spectrum is severely deficient!



# Model excluding $D^-K^+$ resonances

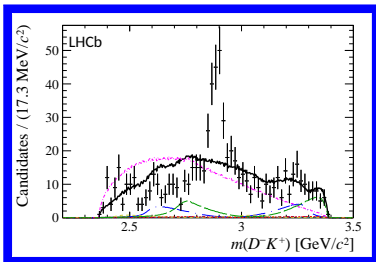
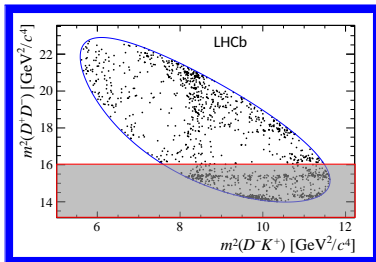
Goodness of fit:



- Largest deviations seen near  $m(D^-K^+) \approx 2.9 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

## Model excluding $D^-K^+$ resonances

- Clearer:  $m(D^+D^-) > 4 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ : cut away low-mass charmonia



- Bit of a show-stopper

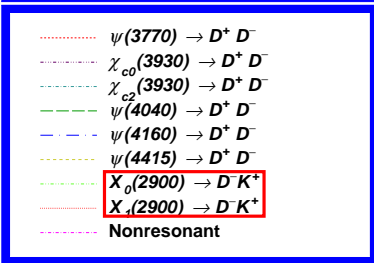
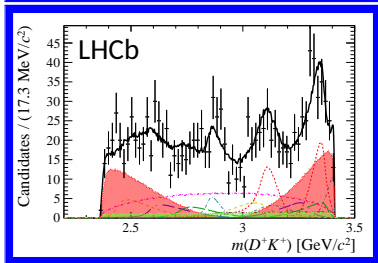
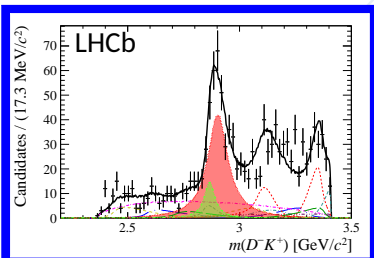
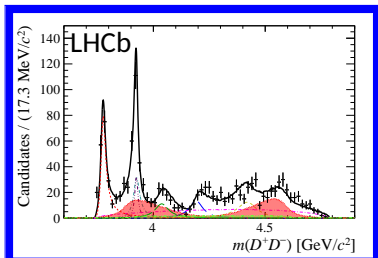


## Model including $D^- K^+$ resonances

We had to do something about the  $D^- K^+$  channel

- May well need more intricate theoretical study e.g. rescattering effects since suspiciously close to  $D^* K^*$  threshold
- Simple approach: **new Breit-Wigners** (spin-0 **and** spin-1 needed)

# Model including $D^- K^+$ resonances



## Model including $D^-K^+$ resonances

Fit results: **coefficients**

Resonance	Magnitude	Phase (rad)	Fit fraction (%)
$D^+D^-$ resonances			
$\psi(3770)$	1 (fixed)	0 (fixed)	$14.5 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.8$
$\chi_{c0}(3930)$	$0.506 \pm 0.064 \pm 0.017$	$2.162 \pm 0.184 \pm 0.034$	$3.7 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.2$
$\chi_{c2}(3930)$	$0.703 \pm 0.064 \pm 0.012$	$0.827 \pm 0.170 \pm 0.133$	$7.2 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.3$
$\psi(4040)$	$0.585 \pm 0.078 \pm 0.035$	$1.416 \pm 0.176 \pm 0.084$	$5.0 \pm 1.3 \pm 0.4$
$\psi(4160)$	$0.668 \pm 0.084 \pm 0.052$	$0.898 \pm 0.225 \pm 0.092$	$6.6 \pm 1.5 \pm 1.2$
$\psi(4415)$	$0.797 \pm 0.080 \pm 0.061$	$-1.458 \pm 0.197 \pm 0.091$	$9.2 \pm 1.4 \pm 1.5$
$D^-K^+$ resonances			
$X_0(2900)$	$0.619 \pm 0.079 \pm 0.025$	$1.091 \pm 0.193 \pm 0.095$	$5.6 \pm 1.4 \pm 0.5$
$X_1(2900)$	$1.449 \pm 0.086 \pm 0.032$	$0.367 \pm 0.102 \pm 0.049$	$30.6 \pm 2.4 \pm 2.1$
Nonresonant	$1.293 \pm 0.088 \pm 0.043$	$-2.410 \pm 0.119 \pm 0.508$	$24.2 \pm 2.2 \pm 0.5$

- Total fit fraction: 107%



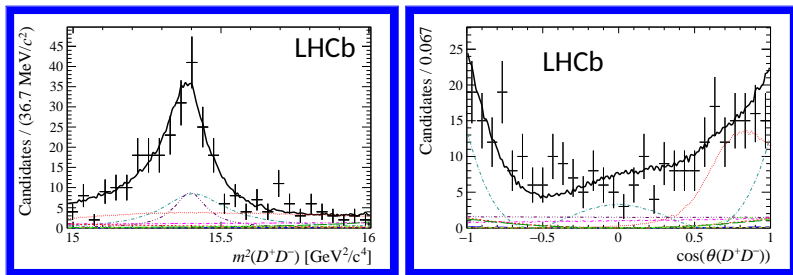
## Model including $D^-K^+$ resonances

Fit results: lineshapes

Resonance	Mass ( GeV/c <sup>2</sup> )	Width ( MeV/c <sup>2</sup> )
$\chi_{c0}(3930)$	$3.9238 \pm 0.0015 \pm 0.0004$	$17.4 \pm 5.1 \pm 0.8$
$\chi_{c2}(3930)$	$3.9268 \pm 0.0024 \pm 0.0008$	$34.2 \pm 6.6 \pm 1.1$
$X_0(2900)$	$2.8663 \pm 0.0065 \pm 0.0020$	$57.2 \pm 12.2 \pm 4.1$
$X_1(2900)$	$2.9041 \pm 0.0048 \pm 0.0013$	$110.3 \pm 10.7 \pm 4.3$

## Model including $D^-K^+$ resonances

Zoom in on the  $\chi_{cJ}(3930)$  ( $15 \text{ GeV}/c^2 < m^2(D^+D^-) < 16 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ ):

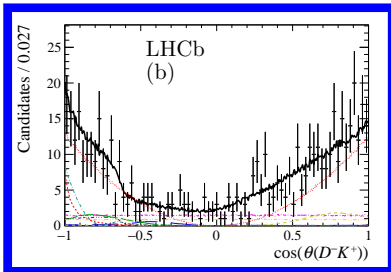
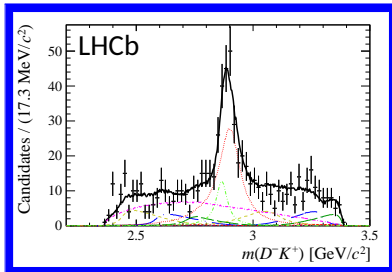


- **Both** a spin-0 and spin-2 component are needed in this region
- Masses are consistent and spin-0 slightly narrower [2002.03311](#)



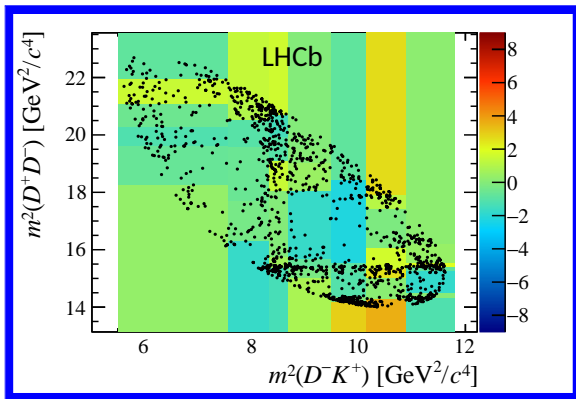
# Model including $D^-K^+$ resonances

Focus on the new  $D^-K^+$  states ( $m(D^+D^-) > 4 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ ):



## Model including $D^-K^+$ resonances

Goodness of fit:



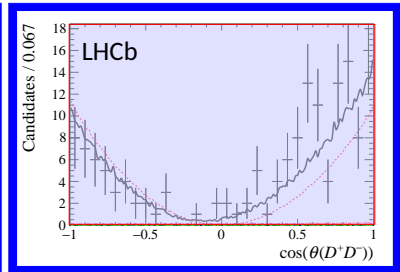
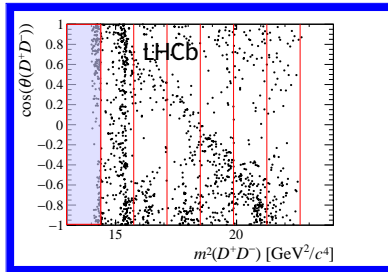
- The  $\chi^2/\text{ndf}$  is  $86.1/38.3 = 2.25$

# Model including $D^-K^+$ resonances

Main areas of disagreement (1):

$$(m^2(D^-K^+), m^2(D^+D^-)) \sim (10.5 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4, 13.5 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4)$$

- Data exhibit large interference between  $S$  and  $P$  wave at low  $m(D^+D^-)$ , but fit does not introduce any  $S$  wave here:





## Model including $D^-K^+$ resonances

Main areas of disagreement (2):

$$(m^2(D^-K^+), m^2(D^+D^-)) \sim (10.5 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4, 18.5 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4)$$

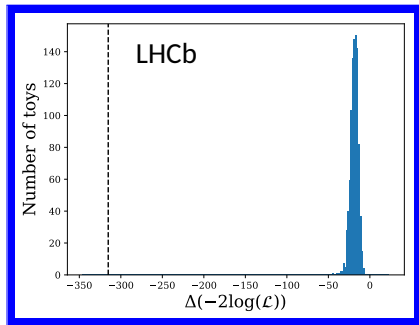
- Seems to originate at low values of  $m^2(D^+K^+)$ . No particular disagreement is seen in other projections of this region, and therefore it is not considered a source of concern.

### Conclusion

The fit is not perfect but the new features are too narrow or too prominent to be ignored

## Significance of new $D^-K^+$ state

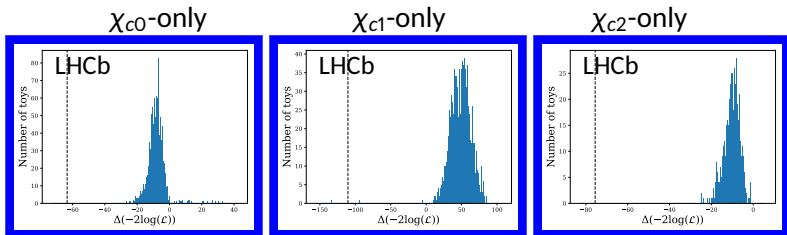
- Generate  $\sim 1000$  toys from data fit with no  $D^-K^+$  components
- Fit with model with and without the new components
- Find difference in NLL for the toy ensemble, and for the data:



- Overwhelmingly significant,  $\gg 5\sigma$

## Significance of $\chi_{cJ}(3930)$ spin conclusions

- Generate  $\sim 1000$  toys from data fit with single  $\chi_{c0,1,2}$  resonance
- Fit with model with that resonance or with both spin-0 and 2
- Find difference in NLL for the toy ensemble, and for the data:



- Strong preference for the spin-0 and spin-2 combination



## Systematic uncertainties

### Major sources:

- **Blatt-Weisskopf radii** conventionally set to  $4 \text{ GeV}^{-1}$ . Vary parent, charmonia, charm-strange radii separately. Dominant effect from the latter two ( $\sim 50\% \sigma_{\text{stat}}$ )
- **S wave modelling**: introduce 5% uniform NR component in toy ensemble and fit with standard model ( $10 \rightarrow 80\% \sigma_{\text{stat}}$ )
- **P wave modelling**: add  $\psi(4320)$  with fixed parameters ( $10 \rightarrow 100\% \sigma_{\text{stat}}$ )
- **Limited MC statistics**: bootstrap efficiency models and repeat fit to data ( $\sim 10\% \sigma_{\text{stat}}$ )
- **Hardware trigger modelling in MC**: build alternative efficiency map using calibration samples ( $\sim 10\% \sigma_{\text{stat}}$ )



## Systematic uncertainties

### Minor sources - percent-level:

- Signal yield uncertainty
- Signal PDF used in mass-fit
- Limited sideband statistics for background model
- Uncertainty in PID modelling in MC (PIDGen)





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## $cs\bar{u}\bar{d}$ tetraquark

- $0^+$  state an isosinglet compact tetraquark
- Analogy to  $bb\bar{u}\bar{d}$  predicted by lattice QCD
- Discussed in [2008.05993](#), [2008.07145](#), [2008.07295](#), [2008.07340](#)

### Pro

Successfully explain the  $0^+$  state

### Con

- (Most) struggle with  $1^-$
- Analogy to  $bb\bar{u}\bar{d}$  doubtful (far from threshold)
- Accompanied by plethora of additional states (pro?)



## Molecular bound state

- Genuine prediction (2010) for an isoscalar  $D^* \bar{K}^* 0^+$  state
- Prediction in 1005.0335 refined (to get the right mass!) in 2008.11171
- More discussion in 2008.07389, 2008.07782, 2008.06894, 2008.07516, 2008.09516.

### Pro

- *Successfully explain the  $0^+$  state*
- *Diquark-diantiquark picture gives  $1^-$*

### Con

- *(Most) struggle with  $1^-$*
- *More  $1^+$ ,  $2^+$  states expected*

## Rescattering structure from nearby threshold

- Triangle diagram coupling  $B$  to  $DDK$  final state
- Assume single-pion exchange dominates: only possible between  $D^* \bar{K}^*$  (not  $D^* \bar{K}$ ,  $D\bar{K}^*$ ,  $D\bar{K}$ )
- $D_1(2420)\bar{K} \rightarrow D^* \bar{K}^*$  scattering OK. Thresholds at  $2.9 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ .

### Pro

- *Nice connection to suspicious thresholds*
- *Natural explanation of  $1^-$  with  $D_1(2420)\bar{K}$  in  $S$  wave*
- *Discussed in 2008.07190 and 2008.12838*

### Con

- *Only (so far) tested in fit to 1D mass projection*



## What next?

### Confirmation:

- Does the state reappear in  $B^0 \rightarrow D^0 D^- K^+$  and  $B^+ \rightarrow D^- K^+ \pi^+$ ?

### Composition:

- Is the structure also present in  $B^+ \rightarrow D^+ \bar{D}^0 K_S^0$  (also  $cs\bar{u}d$ )?

### Extension:

- Is it an isosinglet/triplet? Do additional states appear in  $B^+ \rightarrow D^0 \bar{D}^0 K^+$  ( $\bar{c}uu\bar{s}$ )?
- Is there a  $1^+$  partner in  $B^+ \rightarrow D^+ D^-^* K^+$ ?

... and all with a dataset that should increase in size by a factor of 5 by the end of 2024!



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## Conclusions

- **First** analysis of  $D^+ D^- K^+$  resonant structure
- **First** model-independent evidence for  $D^+ D^- K^+$  structure that cannot be accounted for by charmonium resonances
- **First** amplitude model of  $D^+ D^- K^+$
- Model-dependent **discovery** of exotic structure in  $D^- K^+$
- **Discovery** of contributions from spin-0 and spin-2 components in the region of the existing ' $\chi_{c2}(3930)$ '

Resonance	Mass ( GeV/c <sup>2</sup> )	Width ( MeV/c <sup>2</sup> )	Fit fraction (%)
$\chi_{c0}(3930)$	$3.924 \pm 0.002$	$17.4 \pm 5.2$	$3.7 \pm 0.9$
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$X_0(2900)$	$2.866 \pm 0.007$	$57.2 \pm 12.9$	$5.6 \pm 1.5$
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## Backup: constraints compared to PDG

Expect natural  $J^P$  ( $\rightarrow$ pseudoscalars) and suppressed high-spin

Partial wave ( $J^{PC}$ )	Resonance	Mass (MeV/ $c^2$ )	Width (MeV/ $c^2$ )
P wave ( $1^{--}$ )	$\psi(3770)$ (PDG)	$3773.4 \pm 0.4$	$27.2 \pm 1.0$
	$\psi(3770)$ ( <a href="#">1903.12240</a> )	$3778.1 \pm 0.9$	$27.2 \pm 1.0$
D wave ( $2^{++}$ )	$\chi_{c2}(3930)$ (PDG)	$3922.2 \pm 1.0$	$35.3 \pm 2.8$
	$\chi_{c2}(3930)$ ( <a href="#">1903.12240</a> )	$3921.9 \pm 0.6$	$36.6 \pm 2.1$

- Most values taken from PDG
- $m(\psi(3770))$  and  $\{m, \sigma\}(\chi_{c2}(3930), X(3842))$  from [1903.12240](#)